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In response to the Non-Final Office Action dated November 6, 2007 (the three-month response date for which is February 6, 2007), please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.